

## Message Text

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ACTION ARA-14

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FM AMEMBASSY PARAMARIBO  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 4499

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E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: AINR NS  
SUBJ: CORRECT SPELLING OF SURINAME(E)

1. EMBASSY HAS NOTICED SEVERAL RECENT COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE DEPARTMENT AS WELL AS AMBASSADOR OSTRANDER'S LETTER OF CREDENCE USING "SURINAME" AS THE SPELLING OF THIS COUNTRY'S NAME. WE ALSO UNDERSTAND FROM DUTCH EMBASSY THAT THEY RECEIVED COPY OF A NOTE SENT BY SURIANEME EMBASSY IN THE HAGUE TO THE NETHERLANDS GOVERNMENT THAT THE CORRECT SPELLING OF THE COUNTRY'S NAME IN ENGLISH IS "SURINAME". NOTHING HAS BEEN FORMALLY COMMUNICATED TO US AND WE WONDER WHETHER THE DEPTARTMENT HAS RECEIVED SOMETHING REGARDING THIS MATTER FROM THE SURINAMESE EMBASSY IN WASHINGTON.

2. ACTION REQUESTED: PLEASE ADVISE WHAT THE DEPARTMENT NOW REGARDS AS THE CORRECT ENGLISH SPELLING OF SURINAME(E).  
OSTRANDER

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